

Chapter 76

VEHICLE REPAIRS

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[HISTORY: Adopted by the Town Commissioners of the Town of Perryville 5-1-84 as Ord. No. 84-2. Amendments noted where applicable.]

GENERAL REFERENCES

Vehicles and traffic – See Chapter 77.

Unlicensed or unregistered vehicles – See Chapter 78.

§ 76-1. Purpose.

The Commissioners of Perryville, having determined that numerous types of automotive repairs are taking place on public roads, streets and ways within residential areas of the Town of Perryville, and desiring to provide limitations as to the types of repairs being performed in those areas, do hereby enact this chapter to the end that said repairs may be defined and limited as to the extent and scope of same within residential and commercial areas.

§ 76-2. Definitions.

For the purpose of this chapter, the following terms shall have the meanings hereafter stated:

CENTRAL COMMERCIAL DISTRICT- Any area lying within the Incorporated Town limits of the Town of Perryville being designated on the Zoning Map as C-1.

PUBLIC WAY- Any street, lane, highway or other thoroughfare owned by the state or local government or maintained by public funds and lying within the Town of Perryville, irrespective of whether there is actual maintenance thereof by the State of Maryland, Cecil County or the Town of Perryville, or a private person or organization.

RESIDENTIAL AREA – Any area lying within the Incorporated Town limits of the Town of Perryville being designated on the Zoning Map as R-1, R-2 and R-3.

§ 76-3. Unlawful actions.

It shall be unlawful for any person to perform on any type of vehicle within a residential or central commercial area, either on a public way or in a front yard, any repairs to said vehicle other than those of a minor nature, such as changing spark plugs, oil and filter, lubrication of vehicle, replacement of defective parts such as starters, etc., and other such repairs that are normally designated as routine maintenance and taking less than eight (8) hours to perform. Prohibited repairs shall include major engine overhauls, changing of engines, body work of any kind, painting of vehicles or parts thereof, and other types of repair generally known as major repairs and taking place over a period of more than eight (8) hours.

§ 76-4. Violations and penalties.

Any person convicted of the above violation shall be deemed guilty of a municipal infraction and shall be fined fifty dollars (\$50.) for each offense.